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FOR: EB/ISM - WALTER LENAHAH

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TAGS: EMIN, UNCTAD
SUBJECT: UNCTAD TDB 8TH SPECIAL SESSION: TUNGSTEN

REF: STATE 85930

1. AS REQUESTED, REFTEL DISCUSSED WITH MICHAEL JOHNSON OF UK DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRY. JOHNSON SAID US POSITION CONSISTENT WITH THAT OF UK ON ALL COUNTS. HE SAID INSTRUCTIONS TO UK TDB DELEGATION WOULD STATE THAT PROPOSAL FOR A TUNGSTEN NEGOTIATION SHOULD BE RESISTED FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:

- A. PREPARATORY WORK HAS NOT BEEN DONE.
- B. COMMITTEE ON TUNGSTEN (COT) EXISTS AND THIS IS WHERE ACTION ON TUNGSTEN SHOULD BE.

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C. IMPORTING MEMBERS HAD EARLIER EXPRESSED READINESS TO UNDERTAKE PREPARATORY WORK AND HAD TABLED A PROPOSAL FOR DOING SUCH BUT THIS HAD BEEN REJECTED.

2. CONCERNING FORMATION OF GROUP OF EXPERTS DISCUSSED IN PARA 2 OF REFTEL, JOHNSON SAID HE FOUND SUB-PARAS L, 2 AND 3 COMPLETELY ACCEPTABLE. HE NOTED THAT HIS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE UK TDB DELEGATION HAD NOT GONE INTO THE QUESTION OF SETTING UP A GROUP OF EXPERTS BUT THIS WAS ONLY BECAUSE HE FELT IT WAS A MATTER FOR THE COT AND OF NO DIRECT INTEREST TO THE TDB.

3. CONCERNING PARA 3 OF REFTTEL, JOHNSON AGREED THAT AN ITC-TYPE ARRANGEMENT WAS NOT APPROPRIATE. SPIERS

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